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Ex-Officio Deputy Secretary to Government. The Senior Accounts Officer and Junior Accounts Officer are also State Touring Officers. They assist the Director of Panchayat in the discharge of his duties. The non-Gazetted staff are not touring officers.

(c) The Examiner of Local Fund Accounts is the head of the *Audit Organisation* dealing with the audit and accounts of local bodies including Panchayat Union Councils. His functions are distinctly different from those of the Director of Panchayat Finance. The retention of the post of Examiner of Local Fund Accounts is necessary for carrying out the statutory audit functions entrusted to that department.

SRI M. P. SUBRAMANIAM : ஸார், இப்போது கனம் அமைச்சர் அவர்கள் சொல்லிய பட்டியலிலிருந்து, செய்ய வேண்டிய வேலைகள் எல்லாம் தற்காலிகமானவை என்று தெரிய வருவதால், இவர்களும் தற்காலிகமாக வேலையில் இருப்பார்களா அல்லது இந்த வேலைகள் முடிந்த பிறகும் வேலையில் இருப்பார்களா என்று அறிய விரும்புகிறேன்.

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : வேலைகள் முடிந்த பிறகு அவர்கள் அவசியமா என்பதைப் பற்றி பரிசீலனை செய்ய வேண்டும்.

*S.T. Hindu College (Nagercoil)*

* 2248 *Q.*—SRI T. S. RAMASWAMI : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state—

(*a*) the number of cases registered against a former Secretary of the S. T. Hindu College Association, Nagercoil. by the Police Department and the details thereof ;

(*b*) number charge-sheeted ;

(*c*) whether the former Secretary represented to the Government for the withdrawal of the cases promising to pay back any amount due from him after an audit ;

(*d*) whether any investigating audit was ordered by the department ;

(*e*) if so, when and if not, why not ; and

(*f*) the reasons for the delay in charge-sheeting other cases ?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : (*a*) & (*b*).—The former Secretary of the Association was charge-sheeted on three counts in respect of three different sums of money. He was acquitted by the Magistrate.

(*c*) No, Sir.

(*d*) & (*e*).—The matter is under consideration.

(*f*) Does not arise.